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TAGS: ETRD, KS

SUBJECT: FOREIGN TRADE - INQUIRY ON DIRECT IMPORTS

1. GOLD CREST LTD OF CALIFORNIA IS IMPORTER OF GOLF CLUBS FROM KOREA EPOCH COMPANY SEOUL THROUGH JAPANESE FIRM BUT PREFERS TO IMPORT DIRECT FROM EPOCH. GOLD CREST HAS REQUESTED WE ASCERTAIN WHETHER ARRANGEMENT WITH JAPAN FIRM PRECLUDES DIRECT EXPORT TO U.S. HOWEVER, GOLD CREST DOES NOT WISH DISCLOSE TO EPOCH ITS INTEREST IN BY-PASSING JAPAN FIRM OR TO REVEAL THAT IT IS SOURCE OF INQUIRY.

2. IF EMBASSY CAN DISCREETLY ASCERTAIN WHETHER EPOCH FREE TO EXPORT DIRECTLY TO U.S. FIRMS, INCLUDING GOLD CREST, WE WILL TRANSMIT THE INFORMATION YOU DEVELOP TO GOLD CREST WHICH WILL THEN FOLLOW UP WITH EPOCH. KISSINGER

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